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Dear Sir or Madam,

Forced moulting is not only inhumane and extremely cruel for hens, it's dangerous to human lives because of the resulting damage to the hen's health and immune system making them vulnerable to various diseases like salmonella.

Why is this mercilessly cruel practice allowed in the first place for the almighty dollar? It's a lawsuit waiting to happen so banning this obscene practice is the only intelligent way to go.

I urge you to ban it immediately.

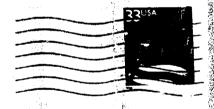
Sincerely, E. J. Sullivan

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